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Hongkong, February 8, 1882.

NOTICES OF FIRMS.

INTIMATION.

MR. FREDERICK ROBERTS

ROGERS was admitted a PARTNER

in our Firm on the 19th of June last.

ROSE & CO.

Hongkong, July 18, 1882.

NOTICE.

THE Interest and Responsibility of

MR. CHARLES KAHN in our Firm

ceased on the 20th April, 1882.

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Hongkong, 1st May, 1882.

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Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, on

TUESDAY,

the 25th July, 1882, at 2 p.m., at No. 24, GAGE STREET—

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CRETONNE-COVERED DRAWING-ROOM SUITE, BLACKWOOD, MARBLE-TOPIQUE TABLES, CHIMNEY GLASSES, EXHIBITION OCEANOGRAPHIC, and ORNAMENTS.

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CHOCOLATE, GLASS and PLATEDWARE,

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AMERICAN BEDSTEADS, WARDROBES, CHEST

OF DRAWERS, MARBLE-TOPIQUE BUREAU, with

GLASS, WASHSTANDS and SERVICES,

&c., &c., &c.

Catalogues will be issued.

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J. M. ARMSTRONG,
Auctioneer.

Hongkong, July 21, 1882.

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WEDNESDAY,

the 26th July, 1882, at Noon, at his Sales Rooms, Queen's Road,—

(Under Bill of Sale),

THE BALANCE OF THE STOCK-IN-TRADE

of MESSRS. NOOR MAHOMED KHANNA & CO.

TERMS OF SALE.—As customary.

J. M. ARMSTRONG,
Auctioneer.

Hongkong, July 21, 1882.

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POSTPONEMENT.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE following PROPERTIES will be SOLD by the Undersigned by Public Auction, on

SATURDAY,

the 29th July, 1882, at 3 p.m., on the Promises,

(IN SIX SEPARATE LOTS.)

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2nd Lot.—ONE HOUSE in BONHAN'S SHANDE, No. 117, Registered as SECTION A of MARINE LOT No. 161.

3rd Lot.—ONE HOUSE in QUEEN'S ROAD WEST, No. 50, Registered as SUBSECTION NO. 1, of SECTION 4 of INLAND LOT 306.

4th Lot.—ONE HOUSE in WEST STREET, Tai-ping-shan, No. 41, Registered as INLAND LOT 223 (Section).

5th Lot.—ONE HOUSE in NEW WEST STREET, Tai-ping-shan, No. 63, Lot 224, (Section).

6th Lot.—THREE HOUSES in SQUARE STREET, Tai-ping-shan, Nos. 58, 60 & 62, Registered as INLAND LOT No. 278.

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Hongkong, July 24, 1882.

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MARINE LOT No. 65, containing 4

Substantially Built HOUSES and 4

LARGE GRANITE GODDOWNS in the

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Hongkong, July 19, 1882.

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CARTE BLANCHE,

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No. 53, Queen's Road East,
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BRILLIANT
KEROSENE OIL,
150° test.

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Eastern and Californian CHEESE.

Boneless CODFISH.

Prime HAMS and BACON.

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PEACH and APPLE BUTTER.

Pickled OX-TONGUES.

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Potted SAUSAGE and Sausage

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MILNER'S PATENT FIREPROOF
SAFES, and CASH BOXES, at
Manufacturer's Prices.

Hongkong, June 1, 1882.

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CAPITAL (Fully Paid-up)...Ts. 420,000.00
PERMANENT RESERVE.....Ts. 230,000.00
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RUSSELL & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, May 8, 1882. 1002

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with his already recognised Great
Company.

FRANK G. WILSON,
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Hongkong, July 24, 1882. 1025

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Goods on board Vessels and on Hulls of
Vessels in Harbour, at the usual Terms
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Doors open at 8.30, to commence at 9 o'clock.

Hongkong, July 24, 1882. 1027

FOR SHEDDING REPORTS.

The British steamer *Canton* reports:

Macao fresh moon; thence light S. S. breeze.

The Chinese steamer *Fujiw* reports:

Fine clear weather with moderate S. W.
winds throughout the passage.

The British steamer *Glaucus* reports:

Light S. W. winds and fine weather.

The British steamer *Emerald* reports:

Macao, 1 European, and 2 Chinese.

For *Canton*, from Macao, 20 Chinese.

For *Fujiw*, from Macao, 20 Chinese.

THE CHINA REVIEW.
PUBLISHED BI-MONTHLY.
TENTH YEAR.

THIS Review, which was intended to meet the wants of many students of Chinese caused by the discontinuance of "Notes and Queries on China and Japan," has reached its Tenth Volume. The Review discusses those topics which are uppermost in the minds of students of the "Far East" and about which every intelligent person connected with China or Japan is desirous of acquiring trustworthy information. It includes many interesting Notes and original Papers on the Arts, Sciences, Ethnology, Folklore, Geography, History, Literature, Mythology, Natural History, Antiquities, and Social Manners and Customs, etc., etc., of China, Japan, Mongolia, Tibet, and the Far East generally. Recently a new departure has been taken, and the Review now gives papers on Trade, Commerce, and Descriptive notes of Travel by well-known writers. It was thought that by extending the scope of the Review in this direction, the Magazine would be made more generally useful.

The Review department receives special attention, and endeavours are made to present a careful and concise record of Literature on China etc., and to give critiques embodying sketches of the most recent works on such topics. Authors and Publishers are requested to forward works to "Editor, China Review," care of China Mail Office.

The Notes and Queries are still continued and form an important means of obtaining and diffusing among students knowledge of obscure points.

The Correspondents column also affords further and greater facilities for the interchange of views and discussion of various topics.

Original contributions in Chinese, Latin, or any of the Modern Languages are received. The papers are contributed by the members of the various Consular, the Imperial Customs, and Hongkong Services, and also by the Missionaries bodies throughout the high degree of Chinese scholarship is adequately cultivated. Amongst the regular contributors are Dr. Chalmers, Dr. Brutschneider, Hirth, and Haneke, Professor Lazarus, and Messrs. Balfour, Watters, Scott, Phillips, MacIntyre, Great, Janier, Faber, Koepck, Parker, Playfair, Giles, and Piton—all well-known names, indicative of sound scholarship and thorough mastery of their subject.

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"This number contains several articles of interest and value." —*North China Herald*.

"The present number of this periodical, * * * opens with a review of the Foreign Trade of China during 1880. This is rather a new departure for a publication which professes to be purely literary; but considering the comparatively small circulation it enjoys at present among the commercial communities of China, we hail the innovation as likely to recommend the Review to the notice of those who take an interest in few matters beyond mercantile pursuits."

North-China Herald.

"The China Review for September October fully maintaining the high standard of excellence which characterises that publication, and altogether forms a very interesting and readable number. Meteorologists will find an interesting and valuable contribution by Dr. Fritsche, on "The Amount of Precipitation (Rain and Snow) of Peking," showing the results of observations made at the Imperial Chinese Observatory at Peking, from 1841 to 1880. "Notes on the Dutch Occupation of Formosa," by Mr. Geo. Phillips, contains some interesting information, although much of it is second-hand. The Notices of New Books include a most generous and appreciative review of "The Divine Classic of Nan-Hua," and the Notes and Queries are as usual very interesting." —*North-China Daily News*.

"A substantial and reliable Review which all students of China and the Chinese would do well to patronise." —*Chrysanthemum*.

"The November-December number of the China Review contains less variety than usual, but the few articles are very interesting. The opening paper by Mr. Herbert A. Giles on 'The New Testament in Chinese' treats of a question that has always been of great importance in the eyes of all missionaries." — M. E. H. Parker's "Short Journeys in Szechuan" are continued, and a goodly instalment of these travels, the interior of China is given. Mr. F. H. Balfour contributes a paper of some length entitled "The Emperor Cheng, founder of the Chinese Empire," which will be read with genuine interest by students of Chinese history. A few short notices of New Books and a number of Notes and Queries, one of which "On Chinese Oaths in Western Borneo and Java," might appropriately have been placed under a separate heading, complete the number.

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